FISCAL MEMORANDUM SB 2807 – HB 3076

April 8, 2008

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (016390): Deletes the language of the original bill. Requires any person, corporation, or other entity employing a person who comes into contact with children on school property to be responsible for obtaining a fingerprint sample and criminal records history check for such person; out-of-state employers may satisfy this requirement by presenting proof of a comparable criminal history and records check, which includes a fingerprint-based check; any person who satisfies these requirements for one school, local board of education or child care program is deemed to have satisfied it for all others; excludes certain government personnel, certain utility personnel, delivery or pick-up service providers supervised by school personnel and persons who contract to perform school assembly programs or other school-sponsored events.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

MINIMAL

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Increase State Expenditures - Not Significant

Assumptions applied to amendment:

- Any cost can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.
- Employees of subcontractors are currently required to undergo background checks.
- The cost of fingerprint samples and criminal background checks is borne by the employer (person, corporation, or other entity) or by the individual employee.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James W. White, Executive Director